Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Activity professionals have contributed significantly to the daily existence of so many of our state's disabled and handicapped senior citizens; and,

WHEREAS, The activity professionals work with health care professionals, regulatory agencies and care providers to improve the daily lives of those served by nursing homes, senior centers, community agencies, adult day care programs and long-term care facilities; and,

WHEREAS, The work of activity professionals serves a vitel function for many senior citizens and disabled persons by working to ensure that the services and activities provided in care facilities are carefully coorcinated. They plan activities designed to enrich the lives of these individuals; and,

WHEREAS, As a result of their efforts, many elderly and handicapped persons are able to lead fuller and more challenging lives; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim January 27, 1989, as

SOUTH DAKOTA ACTIVITY PROFESSIONALS DAY

in South Dakota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Ninth Day of January, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Nine

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE